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[Includes a description of the Henry L. Jewett
collection of ancient + modern coins + medals.]

THE JEWETT CABINET
OF COINS AND MEDALS.

GEO. B. JEWETT, ENGRAVER,
MACON, GA.

Macomb, Ga., Nov. 10, 1874.

Mr. J. H. & N. J. Apple, Engravers,
Baltimore, Md.,
Gentlemen :-

Mr. J. H. Apple, Engraver of

the Macomb, Ga., Engraving & Die Cutting Co., has been
kind enough to send me a copy of your circular
concerning the new coins which I have received. I very much regret
that I have not been able to place a copy of it in your hands
with you.

I enclose you a circular, also, relative to the same. I have no
printed circulars of the kind I have received.

I should be very much pleased to have a copy of your
circular sent to me, as I have not been able to obtain one from
you in regard to the same.

The circular is a very fine one, and I am sure it will be
of great value to you, as it is very well printed and
clear.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours very truly,
Geo. B. Jewett

Enclosed,

Geo. B. Jewett
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THE JEWETT CABINET OF ANCIENT AND
MODERN COINS AND MEDALS



*Very kindly & truly
Harry R. Brown*

HENRY L. JEWETT,

The originator of this rare and beautiful collection of coins and medals, was born in Granby, Hartford County, Conn. the 29th, of August 1821, and died in Macon, Ga. the 28th. of January 1897. He came to Macon, Ga., when but thirteen years old, where an elder brother had preceded him, and and with whom in his earlier life he was associated in business. His long life work here was marked by the highest standard of business integrity in mercantile, banking and railroad pursuits. In educational matters and in church work he took an active interest and by his noble, generous and stainless life left an impress on the minds and hearts of all with whom he came in contact.

In early boyhood, he developed a fondness for history and the collection of old coins, and as success in business warranted, after careful research of what was rare and beautiful, added such to his cabinet through correspondents in Europe and America, until at his death his cabinet comprised one of the finest collections of coins and medals to be found in any private collection in America.

This cabinet of the old and modern, of the quaint and beautiful, of the artistic and crude unfolded a flood of light of the world's coinage and history, that in his leisure moments was an unfailing source of interest and intellectual enjoyment.



THIS VALUABLE COLLECTION

Of ancient and modern coins and medals of rare beauty and excellence and selected with the greatest care after years of patient historical research in its accumulation, is now offered for sale for the first time. The cabinet contains thousands of coins and medals of gold, silver, bronze and copper. It embraces many ⁴⁴ numismatic gems of ancient Greece, Rome, Persia, China and Korea, also German principalities, Austria, France, Great Britain and other European States, as well as United States (gold, silver, bronze, and copper) coins and medals.

The cabinet would be a valuable acquisition to some University in stimulating the study of history, or would adorn the home of any private collector who possesses a taste for the quaint and beautiful in the world's coinage of ancient and modern times. It is seldom that such an opportunity is afforded to procure as a whole a collection that represents a life work in its procurement. By the will of the owner the cabinet is to be sold for distribution among his heirs.

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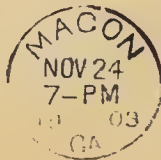


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